GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
URBAN DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA

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UNAUTHORISED CONSTRUCTION IN STATES
Sugavanam Shri E.G.

Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Union Government has asked the State Government to form a Committee of Experts to examine the issue of unauthorised constructions in the States;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the State Governments have complied with the directions of the Union Government;

(d) if so, the details thereof;

(e) if not, the reasons therefor; and

(f) the steps taken by the Government to prevent the unauthorized constructions in the country?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT(SHRI AJAY MAKEN)

(a)&(b): No, Sir. However, Ministry of Urban Development constituted a Committee of Experts to look into various aspects of unauthorized construction and misuse of premises in Delhi.

(c)to(e): Do not arise.

(f): Construction of buildings is regulated by Building Bye-laws of cities/towns concerned and it is the responsibility of the Urban Local Bodies and Development authority as the case may be to monitor construction activities.